



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q62184

Ingrid Zulma Benoit VAN DE VOORDE, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/737,547

Group Art Unit: 2663

Confirmation No.: 1517

Examiner: Nittaya JUNTIMA

Filed: December 18, 2000

For: METHOD TO DIVIDE UPSTREAM TIMESLOTS IN A TIME DIVISION MULTIPLEX
ACCESS SYSTEM, RELATED LINE TERMINATOR AND RELATED NETWORK
TERMINATOR

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

An Excess Claims Fee Payment Letter, along with the required fee, is being concurrently filed with this Amendment.

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated June 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

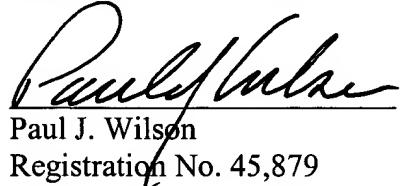
	After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For			
All Claims	12	20	=	\$18.00	= \$0.00
Independent	4	3	=	\$86.00	= \$86.00
			TOTAL		= <u>\$86.00</u>

A check for the statutory fee of \$86.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to

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ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. Q62184

Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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